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- 1. DR. LEISE ASKS THAT THE FOLLOWING LETTER BE SENT TO SHENDEREY, WITH COPIES TO AY; AZYAN AND INASHVILI.
- 2. 01.07 MARCH 6, 1978.

DR. E. R. SHENDEREY
CHAIRMAN, U.S.S.R. SIDE OF THE U.S./U.S.S.R.
WORKING GROUP ON THE PRODUCTION OF
SUBSTANCES BY MICROBIOLOGICAL MEANS
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DEAR DR. SHENDEREY:

THE NEXT MEETING OF THE US/USSR JOINT WORKING GROUP IN MICROBIOLOGY IS DUE TO BE HELD IN THE USSR IN 1978. THE U.S. SIDE COULD MEET DURING JUNE OR JULY EXCEPT FOR THE WEEKS OF JUNE 4-10 AND 18-24, AND JULY 2-8. (THE JOINT

COMMISSION MEETING WILL, I BELIEVE, BE HELD IN MOSCOW IN JULY OF THIS YEAR.) PLEASE LET ME KNOW WHAT DATES YOU HAVE IN MIND FOR T;E NEXT JOINT WORKING GROUP MEETING. WE SHOULD HAVE A MINIMUM OF ABOUT 3 MONTHS LEAD TIME SO THAT PLANS CAN BE MADE.

DR. LARRY E. ERICKSON, WHO RECENTLY SPENT 5 MONTHS WORKING IN THE SOVIET UNION, AND WHO IS PARTICIPATING IN OUR PROJ-ECT 2. HAS ASKED THAT IGOR MINKEVITCH OF THE INSTITUTE FOR BIOCHEMISTRY AND PHYSIOLOGY OF MICROORGANISMS AT PUSHCHINO AND DR. ULDIS VIESTURS OF THE AUGUST KIRCHENSTEIN INSTI-TUTE OF MICROBIOLOGY BE INCLUDED IN THE WORKING GROUP'S ACTIVITIES, ESPECIALLY IN PROJECTS 1 AND 2. SINCE THE NEXT MEETING OF THESE TWO PROJECTS WILL BE HELD IN THE U.S. SOON, IT WOULD BE APPRECIATED IF YOU COULD ARRANGE FOR DR. VIESTURS AND IGOR MINKEVITCH TO ATTEND THAT CONFERENCE. DR. ERICKSON AND DR. VIESTURS HAVE JOINT RESEARCH IN PROG-RESS, AND FACE-TO-FACE CONTACT UOULD ENABLE THEM TO DO A BETTER JOB IN THEIR COLUMN FERMENTOR COOPERATIVE RESEARCH. DR. ERICKSON BELIEVES THAT DR. VIESTURS' WORK IS VERY CLOSE TO THE INTERESTS OF THE U.S. PARTICIPANTS IN PROJECTS 1 AND 2.

WITH PERSONAL REGARDS,

J. M. LEISE UNCLASSIFIED

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CHAIRMAN, US SIDE OF THE US/USSR JOINT WORKING GROUP ON THE PRODUCTION OF SUBSTANCES BY MICROBIOLOGICAL MEANS

CC: DR. AYKAZYAN
-- DR. INASHVILI VANCE

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